

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)**  
**(Large Entity)**

Docket No.  
POU920030027US1

In Re Application Of: **Brice et al.**

Application No.	Filing Date	Examiner	Customer No.	Group Art Unit	Confirmation No.
10/764,421	01/23/2004	David E. Martinez	46369	2181	8191

Invention: **MANAGING SETS OF INPUT/OUTPUT COMMUNICATIONS SUBADAPTERS OF AN INPUT/OUTPUT SUBSYSTEM**

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of January 19, 2007 in the above-identified application.  
*Date*

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

☒ One month    ☐ Two months    ☐ Three months    ☐ Four months    ☐ Five months

from: April 19, 2007    until: May 19, 2007  
*Date*    *Date*

The fee for the extension of time is **\$120** and is to be paid as follows:

- ☐ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
- ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. **09-0463 (IBM)**
- ☐ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. **09-0463 (IBM)**
- ☐ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

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Dated: April 30, 2007

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